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POETRY.

THE SOLDIER'S REQUIEM.

Poem delivered in signs by Mrs. W. C. Ritter, at the convention of the Virginia Association, held at Staunton, August 16, 1892.

Oh, give him a grave when the victory's won,
In the dust of his own dear clime;
And lay him to rest with his comrades brave,—
Dead, and dead in the cause sublime!
Heap the clay lightly o'er the upturned face;
Tearless, smoothe over the blood-stained sod;
And leave him to rest as the soldier dies,
Committing his cause and his all to God.

Shallow ye'll dig there the burial trench,
And narrow the pillowless bed;
But straighten the limbs, and his blanket bring
And drape it all gently around the dead:
The shattered breast where once had dwelt
The virtues and pri le and love,
Shall reck not the clods, but the spirit flown
Shall smile on the mound above.

Go speak of his name, as ye tell of the fight,
To the dear one who gave him her vow,
And tell her his life to his country he gave,
But his heart he sends to her now!
Perchance she may weep o'er a "rebel's" doom,
And the thought may humble her pride;
But a heart that was true to his lady love
And his native land has never died!

Oh maiden, weep for the fallen love!
Oh mother, strenghten your prayer!
Oh father, tell of thy heart's dear loss,
And stifle the agony there!
Oh brothers, give to your country's cause
The all of your treasure and blood,—
For Heaven shall keep the record true,
And vengeance shall be with God!

We curse not the foe for the deed now done,
He has stricken a martyr down!
And though we have borne the "rebel's" cross
Justice will give us the crown!
And Heaven alone shall judge the "crime,"
While damning the tryanny deeper
That under the guise of Liberty's cause
Was forging a chain for the sleeper!

He sleeps!—and over his stoneless grave
The shafts of his enemies rattle;
But he heeds them not, no less than he did
Their guns on the morn of battle!
Oh well may he rest! for the future brings
A day that shall brighten his story;—
When Fame shall trumpet aright his name,
And a world shall claim his glory!

—M. V. MOORE.

STORY TELLER.

A WOMAN'S WHIM.

Two men and a woman; a great baronial room, furnished half in the English, half in the Oriental style; a wide, low divan, covered with rich brocade and heaped with many cushions; deer-skins everywhere—on the floor, the furniture, the low, easy-chairs; a buffet crowded with massive silver; a huge stove of tiles and Dutch falence; beside it a square table, covered with a cloth, upon which steams always the inevitable samovar, surrounded by transparent cups and crystal glasses in holders of metal filagree; the walls hung with draperies of dark-red velvet, faded pastels and photographs, and a fox-hunt in oils.

One of the men, wearing a brown-velvet jacket and his feet in soft shoes, leans back in a deep easy-chair reading a newspaper. His hair has begun to whiten, but his brows are as black as his eyes, and his expression is one of bored weariness. The other—a young lieutenant in undress uniform, his opened coat showing beneath it a crimson-silk shirt—paces back and forth with a step regular and firm. He is tall and robust, with blonde hair and mustache, and a frank smile on his somewhat full lips.

The lady—young also and fair and delicate, her golden hair coiled in a loose knot low on her neck—reclines on the divan lazily smoking a cigarette. She is in dark blue, her waist clasped by a silver belt studded with turquoise, her slim, white wrist circled by a narrow band of plain, dull gold. Her eyes, bold and laughing, dilate from time to time with those fleeting gleams and shadows peculiar to the eyes of the feline race. Indolent and languid in repose, nervous and feverishly alive at the slightest movement, she is a singular mixture of vivacity and indifference, of softness and hardness, the scarlet curve of her rose-red lips announcing clearly an indomitable will.

Out of doors it is a night of clear metallic whiteness, the hoar-frost tracing even the window-panes with fantastic flowers. Within, all is warm and snug—a balmy atmosphere impregnated with tea-fumes, tobacco, and that subtle odor of tanned skins, the perfume of Russian leather.

The silence of the room for the moment is broken only by the rustle of the paper and the lieutenant's measured tread. Presently the lady yawns, re-arranges her cushions, and begins to sip from a frail Japanese cup the smoking amber fluid. She is awake at last. The lieutenant turns a flame like a ray of sunlight in a dark place in his brown eyes, and throws himself at her feet. She answers the gay, caressing glance with a coquettish pout and a movement of the arm that makes the bracelet at her wrist ring like a bell.

"Prince," she says, suddenly, addressing the reader in the chair by the smoking samovar, "what are we going to do to-morrow? What are your plans for us, Prince, tell us."

"To beat the oak plantation," he answers, tossing aside his paper. "The wolves, the peasants tell me, make nightly ravages there. Two nights ago it was a horse; yesterday, a cow, killed so near daylight, too, that its body was still warm when they found it by the roadside."

"We shall really hunt, then?" said Mme. Novar, with sparkling eyes.

"Yes, the dogs are in good shape, the hounds well-trained, and they ask nothing better than to sharpen their teeth on the wolves' hides."

"But it will freeze by to-morrow," the young officer objects—"freeze hard, at that; the moon has a haze around it."

"And what if it does freeze?" asked the lady. "With my habit, toque and seal gloves I can face any weather. Don't forget the champagne, Prince."

"Have no fear, madame; all will be done as you desire."

Another long silence.

Mme. Novar suddenly springs from her cushions. Throwing back her head with a birdlike motion, her loosened hair lies half-uncoiled now on her beautiful neck, her half-closed eyes open wide and eagerly.

"Listen—listen," says she; "I have an idea!"

"What is it?" the lieutenant demands, admiration of her beauty sending the blood to his good-natured face in an ardent glow.

"I wish, absolutely, without delay, that we go to hunt now, at once, to hunt in a sleigh—in a troika. Quick, Prince, quick! Give the order. What snow! What moonlight! What life! Every thing call us! Quick—quick, I say, Prince, let the horses be harnessed while I go to dress myself."

"My dear madame," the Prince responds, hesitatingly, and rising stiffly from his chair, "with the greatest pleasure, but——"

"But what? What excuse are you seeking to find to keep us here in this downy nest, drinking tea, and tea, and tea? We shall turn into dried mummies. But see—see for yourself, Prince," flying to the window and pulling back with feverish haste the heavy curtains, so that a wave of silvery moonlight floods the chamber, only half-lighted by the shaded lamps; "perfect apotheosis of fiery brilliancy How is it impossible to remain at home on a night like this?"

"My dear madame," demurred the prince again, a note of coldness, if not displeasure, in his voice, "I must be frank; it is my duty to warn you that I am not sure of my team. The orders of a party woman are absolute; I have passed a lifetime submitting to them, but in a case like this all depends on the training and experience of the horses. If they run, or upset us, no earthly power can save us from the teeth of the wolves, if they chance to be numerous. My middle horse is perfect—a wise old trotter; nothing could alarm him—but the other horses? They are young—too young, madame; they arrived from the Don only last spring, and are not yet sufficiently broken. They have hunted, it is true, but hunted mounted; it is not the same thing, and then, only in daylight. Wolves are thick these freezing nights, half-starved and not at all timid. Take the words of an old hunter, madame, and do not expose yourself——"

"You are jesting, my dear prince," Mme. Novar interrupts, with a little, dry laugh; "or, perhaps, now I think of it, maybe you are afraid? Be careful, or you will compel me to believe that you are growing old—which would be truly a pity."

She speaks with such an accent of mingled provocation, sarcasm, and defiance, and in her eyes there is suco a mocking light, that the prince responds—by ringing the bell.

A servant in Cossack dress answers the summons.

"Tell Timothy to harness Faust, Arabi and Ares to the big hunting troika; Faust in the middle. Let Andre prepare the guns and the pig, and be ready in half an hour."

The little Cossack, with his shining buttons and rosy face, bows and goes out; the prince follows him. Left alone with her, the lieutenant, a troubled light in his eyes, approaches Mme. Novar.

"Dear madame," he begins, gently, "I am neither an old nor a cowardly man; but, nevertheless, I beg of you to give up this fancy. It is very tempting, I know, for a woman like you; but do not, I beseech you, compel your host to expose himself and his servants to a risk so terrible. For I give you my word that, with inexperienced horses, at this season of the year, when the wolves are most ferocious, it is a deadly danger to run. I entreat you not to insist. Our responsibility——"

"Thou, too, Serge!" cries Mme. Novar, with a burst of ringing laughter. "Away with fear! The more danger there is, the more one should feel one's self alive; the more sensations one has, the happier one should be."

The lieutenant answers her, with a reproving gesture: "For one's self alone, yes; but for others?"

A big sleigh, in the shape of a half-ship, the horses harnessed to the prow, the coachman in front, in his usual place, waits now at the foot of the outer staircase; between the shafts a big black horse, its intelligent face surmounted by long, pointed ears and lighted by large, brilliant eyes, stands patient and stolid between the Ukraine runners. The right-hand horse is gray, the left-hand, roan, both of them thin, sinewy, with flowing manes and tails.

Timothy, the coachman, with his strong face and eagle glance, perched up aloft, touches his cap to the prince as he slowly descends the steps, Mme. Novar on his arm. She, pale and frail, but smiling, is clad from head to foot in sealskin, her flashing eyes sparkling like flame through her veil, a light rifle flung carelessly over her shoulder. The lieutenant follows, with Andre bearing half a dozen guns.

A clear, silvery light floods everything, house and grounds. Each line of the harness, the guns, the eyes of the horses and of the men shine under it with extraordinary brilliancy, and seem to give back to it electric sparks. Mme. Novar run across the terrace, which the marvellous witchery of snow and moonlight has turned to purest marble. She springs to the sleigh, the men quickly follow; at the same instant, low grunts and squeals are heard under the furs. Andre flings himself down on the spot whence come the squeals to stifle the sound, and the horses are off at a gallop.

Fast as the run is, it is almost noiseless, the fall of the horses' hoofs on the soft snow scarcely perceptible. The bells have been removed from both sleigh and harness. Now and then the coachman's whistle resounds through the stillness like a bird's shrill call. Again, one of the horses sneezes. But ever in this arrowy rush they cross the swelling undulating plains that stretch out like endless sheets of silver.

The plains once passed, they enter a stately wood, whose trees from lines, black and wavering, of limitless perspective. Timothy halts at a cross-roads; the vehicle stands out against the snow like a bit of ebony on a field of pearl. The firs, stirred by the wind, moan and creak dismally, the boughs rub and grind each other with a dull, crunching sound. The horses snort; the smothered cries rise still from the bottom of the sleigh.

"Is it to be here, your excellency?" asks Timothy, quiety.

"How far are we from the Green Lake?" the prince responds.

"Nearly five miles; this road leads there direct, winds around the lake-edge, and loses itself in the steppe on its way to the high-road, which it joins near the post-station."

Mme. Novar, still impatient, interrupts with the order: "Make the pig cry!"

"It would be better to wait, I think," Andre replies. "This road turns sharply not far from here, and the ditches are deep; granting even that we are able to keep on the margin of the pond—"

"Peace, fool!" cries Mme. Novar; "do as you are bid!"

And instantly there sounds from sleigh botton a hideous medley of squalls, squeals, and ear-splitting grunts, such as only a pig has power to utter, and whether bleeding to death or merely having his ear pulled his gamut of notes is always the same.

Mme. Novar smiles triumphantly; the lieutenant looks at her, then turns his eyes, with a slight lift of the shoulder.

The frightful clamor reaches far and wide in the rarefied air. Andre, now and then stills the squeal under heavy sheep-skin, and all eagerly listen. Suddenly, in one of these intervals of silence, a patter of running feet sounds behind them on the yielding snow.

It comes from the depths of the forest: it draws nearer and nearer. Dry branches snap.

The horses tremble. Soon the patter changes to regular plunges, like a pack of hunting-dogs leaping and bounding and back of them, in the thicket, lank gaunt forms gather and multiply.

All at once the horses rear. Timothy braces himself like a rock in his seat. The edge of forest glows now with a line of fiery sparks, greenish and changeful—the phosphorescent eyeballs of the wolves' advance guard fleeing, skulking, but always returning with stubborn obstinacy toward the sleigh and its tempting freight. Timothy loosens the reins, and the middle horse starts off with his long, swinging stride, trotting steadily, without haste or spurts, and always restraining his companions, covered with sweat and quivering in every muscle.

The wolves, seeing their prey thus escape them, hurry to pursue. There is a score already, and their number steadily increases. They run in great leaps, two and three together, greedy, but not yet bold, urged on more by curiosity than ferocious appetite.

Mme. Novar, calmly elated, her hand on her rifle, awaits the signal to fire. The prince, straight and rigid, knits his brow with sombre air. The lieutenant watches Andre teasing the pig to make it squeal louder. The wolves now are scarcely twenty feet distant from the hunters, and closing in rapidly. The troika quickens its pace, the side horses straining at the bit with furious energy.

Suddenly one of them trips, falls but gains his footing with a frantic bound, at the same time uttering a strangled neigh; the sleigh jerks roughly then follows with a rush. But even this brief check has brought the wolves dangerously near; they run—wolves and horses—side by side now, the wolves waiting for the horses to give out. At this close approach of the brutes the Ukraine horses, wild with terror, no longer know what they are doing. The time has come—with a sharp crack the guns go off, and four wolves fall. Their comrades fling themselves on their panting bodies and crunch them fiercely.

Meanwhile the sleigh has gained a little, but the smell and taste of blood have made the wolves rabid and filled them with a mad thirst for slaughter; the gap is soon closed between them.

Again the guns crack; only one wolf falls this time, but falls with a snarling yelp that sends the side horses off in a frenzied run. The middle horse, with the wisdom of an old hunter, though for some time exhausted and panting, and no longer able to control his yoke-mates, allows himself to be borne along.

The sleigh swings and plunges; crashes now into a hedge, now into a snow-bank, or whatever chances to bar its way; turns half over at a bend in the road, and only rights itself as Andre flings his weight to the upper side.

The prince, white as marble whispers a low order in Timothy's ear.

Mme. Novar laughs no more; her eyes shine like a cat's; she looks at the wolves and again at the horses.

"Superb! Magnificent! That old horse is simply amazing! His name, prince, his name?"

"Faust, madame," the prince answers, coldly; "also permit me to remind you that our danger is very great."

"I know, I know—you need not tell me. If the sleigh upsets—well, nothing will remain of us but our guns and the buttons of our clothes. Pooh! I trust to Faust—he is a marvelous animal."

"By God's will, my prince," says Timothy, solemnly, "we'll reach the lake safely. How it will be then—I can not tell; the lake-edge is bad, rough, and slippery, the descent very, very steep."

"So! Take this then," the prince returns, giving Timothy his hunting-knife; "if we are spilled, I am not to fall alive in the jaws of those devilish brutes."

"I comprehend, your excellency," Timothy replies.

"And thou, Serge," Mme. Novar murmurs, pale but smiling a bewitching smile into the lieutenant's face, "art thou afraid?"

"I, madame, afraid?" he answers slowly, looking her straight in the eyes as he speaks. "No; But a useless death seems to me ridiculous—criminal, when imposed by the caprice of a wilful woman, but I submit to it."

Mme. Novar shudders; for a moment she seems stunned.

"And you speak thus to me, Serge? she questions, amazed.

"To you, Marta," he answers, for the first time calling her by her name.

Something seems to break in her heart as she listens—a whimsical, thoughtless heart, a little too sure of its power, perhaps, but essentially feminine. The shock increases for her tenfold the danger to which they are exposed.

And such danger, too! The horses, beyond control, maddened, their heads low, run haphazard. The wolves, relentless in their chase, are almost on them. Suddenly Timothy cries out hoarsely:

"The lake, the lake, my prince! We are there!"

Before them the forest opens, a broad, treeless space comes in view; it is the road—the road barely visible which slops like a sort of ice-covered trench whose side are neatly vertical. The least slip on the horses' part, a slight swerve aside, and all—men and beasts—would be rolling in snow, at the mercy of the ravenous horde so close at their heels.

The sleigh flies now like a squall of wind. Not even Faust attempts longer to check their headlong fight. He, too, runs bindly, flinging out his heels with the long, superb stride of a pure-blooded racer.

"God protect us!" murmurs the prince under his breath—"the victims of a woman's whim!"

He sighs, turns his back on Mme. Novar, and seats himself by the coachman, the veins of whose neck swell like a whip-cord as he pulls on the line with all his might.

"Let them go," says the prince, "let them go, Timothy. No human powers can aid us now."

"Holy Virgin, no; not till the lake is passed!" Timothy cries. "The steppes are just beyond; once there, we are saved!"

Like a bolt of lightning the horses fly down the slope to the lake. Seeing something like a sink before him, Faust, with lifted head and wide-open eyes recognizes the danger comfronting them, for he knews, like a human, what his end will be if he maddened comrades drag him over the brink of that treacherous spot. He braces himself stiffly, digs his feet deep in the snow, and throws himself to one side, thrusting the right horse with him and forcing him to keep in the road edging the water.

But the left horse slips, scrambles, and falls. Now Faust rears, forcing with him the right horse to his haunches. Timothy, trusting to the instinct of the old horse, holds fast with one hand, stretches forwards across the shaft and cuts with one stroke the fallen horse's traces. With a neigh of agony he instantly disappears under a swarm of snarling devils.

The sleigh flies on, the lake and wood are passed, and the broad highway of the steppes is before them. The hunters are silent and speak never a word; a light gleams in the distance, and Timothy turns the steaming horses toward it. It is the post-station in the midst of the steppes. They enter the courtyard like a charging hurricane.

Faust for a moment breathes heavily and loud, staggers blindly, whinnies low, and shudderingly falls—never to rise again. He had broken a blood-vessel in the effort he had made to keep the sleigh straight when the side-horse fell, and though bleeding inwardly all the while, the strength and courage of his race upheld him to the last.

Timothy, with bowed head and wet eyes, makes no attempt to hide his sorrow. The prince stands like a man of stone, gazing dumbly at his horse, already stiffening, his legs stretched out, his mouth and nostrils reds with blood. Mme. Novar, too, for a moment is speechless; then throws back her head with a gesture of imperious defiance.

"It was not to be this time," she murmurs, softly. "We are saved—saved, Serge, my friend, though all depended upon a horse."

And moved, touched, in spite of herself, she turns and impulsively reaches her hand to her lover. But he stands like stone; he does not notice her hand, and his voice is ice itself, as he mechanically repeats after her: "As you say, madame—all depended upon a horse."

Still she does not understand him; and she speaks again with a tender inflection:

"How strangely you speak, Serge. It was Marta—did you know that, Serge—*Marta* you called me during—during our peril," she adds, with a silvery laugh.

"For the first and the last time, madame," the lieutenant returns, gravely. "Faust has broken that which bound me to my dearest desire. True courage is always admirable. I would see any woman brave peril coolly, and would commend the effort; in like proportion would I despise her did her caprice endanger the life even of a dog. How, then, judge one whose wilful fancy exposes human lives to the cruelest danger? Men are not allowed, as you know, to draw back from a daring, even a foolhardy undertaking—a silly bondage imposed upon us by self-esteem. Therefore, a woman who abuse her privileges, who presumes upon this sentiment and knowledge, is neither more nor less than a murderess—*a murderess with premeditation*; and a woman, be her station what it may, without tenderness, is, in my opinion, a monster. For that reason, madame, permit me to congratulate you on the happy outcome of your whim, and to bid you—farewell."—*Translated from the Russian for the San Francisco Argonaut.*

Wisdom About Cholera.

New York, Evening Telegram.

The nearness of Cholera to New York, and its presence as a topic in the minds of all, have naturally set the printing presses at work to produce a crop of pamphlets, circulars and addresses about the history, nature, prevention and treatment of the disease. These come from many sources and perhaps their value may be in no small part correctly estimated by their sources.

It is an occasion of satisfaction to the *Telegram* to be able to state that of the pamphlet instructions and recommendations about cholera that have flooded its desk, few add any points of material popular value to those which were seasonably issued some time ago by the New York Board of Health.

Recommendations that come mixed up with circular advertisements of remedies may be safely ignored by their recipients, for these two reasons:—That sort of semi-publicity might be made the vehicle of conveying bad advice as well as of prescribing remedies and alleged specifics that are worse than useless. Second—Cholera is not a malady to be treated by the prostrated patient or by his terror-stricken family; nor is this a malady to be grappled by nurses or doctors who are just beginning their practice by resorting to advertised specifics and quack remedies.

The editor of the *American Druggist*, however, has issued to other newspapers and to doctors in circular form an advance copy of an article on the origin, diffusion, nature and treatment of cholera that may afford some points of helpfullness to the general public or even to professional readers. The already familiar idea of the importance of hygiene and of personal cleanliness is thus restated:—

The greatest care must be exercised as to personal hygiene. An otherwise perfectly healthy and cleanly person will never have cholera save possibly through some indiscretion, as by putting something into his mouth which has not been sterilized. The human economy in a state of health is not a favorable ground for the propagation of cholera microbes, the most powerful protector being a precetly sound digestive apparatus, which is maintained in a normal condition by caution as to diet, work and exercise.

The recent suggestion of Sir Edwin Arnold as to the preventive value of hydrochloric acid in a cup of tea is here confirmed:—

Acid media are particularly unfavorable to the cholera germ; therefore a dose of eight to ten drops of hydrochloric acid in one-fourth of a glass of boiled water, taken after meals, is an excellent prophylactic, particularly in cases of impaired digestion.

The following points are of general importance:—

Constipation is frequently induced though fear of the cholera, and should be promptly treated by an enema of freshly boiled water.

Care should be taken to avoid taking cold as the resulting catarrhal conditions are, most favorable to the development of the germs. Cases of catarrh of the stomach and bowels should be treated very carefully.

The best of these later instructions, however, issue from the Board of Health of Quebec. One entire circular from this source, addressed to the Mayor and municipal councilors of other cities, is not needed in this latitude, the New York authorities having taken with commendable promptness perhaps all the practicable steps toward this city's general sanitation, which the gravity of the crisis demanded.

The Quebec instructions to families contain some points which may be with advantage reiterated to the people of New York at this time.

Among them are:—

Doubtful cases of cholera should be treated as genuine cases.

When cholera is about looseness of the bowels should never be overlooked, as diarrhœa either predisposes individuals to cholera or is the first symptom of cholera itself. Thus, especially if there are cases of cholera in the vicinity, the slightest attack of diarrhœa must be attended to at once.

In giving a list of disinfectants, the Board of Health of the Province emphasizes this important caution:—

It is in your interest not to put too much confidence in the so-called disinfectants of the trade, most of them being merely deodorizers.

Here is their list of disinfectants:—

1. Fire.
2. Steam.
3. Boiling water.
4. Bichloride of mercury; two drachms in a gallon of water.
5. Carbolic acid; four ounces in a gallon of water.
6. Milk of lime, which is prepared as follows:—

Sprinkle gradually quick lime of good quality with one half its weight of water; dilute the powder so obtained with twice its volume of water; keep in a carefully closed vessel.

7. Chloride of lime in powder or in solution-six ounces in a gallon of water.
8. Sulphurous acid, by burning three pounds of sulphur for each 1,000 cubic feet of space.

The above disinfectants *only* are recommended by the Board.

Disinfectants No. 2 and No. 8 are used only in the general disinfection of the house and its contents, which disinfection must always be made under the supervision of the local Board of Health of the municipality.

Such information as is designed exclusively for the guidance of doctors, nurses and attendants need not be here reproduced. The *Telegram* gives space to these cautionary and general instructions in the hope that the occasion for their interest to the people of New York is about to entirely pass away.

Safeguards of the Bank of England.

The Bank of England's doors are now so finely balanced that the clerck, by pressing a knob under his desk, can close the outer doors instantly, and they cannot be opened again except by special process. This is done to prevent the daring and ingenious unemployed of the great metropolis from robbing the famous institution. The bullion department of this and other great English banking establishments are nightly submerged in several feet of water by the action of the machinery. In some London banks, the bullion departments are connected with the manager's sleeping-rooms, and an entrance cannot be effected without setting off an alarm near the person's head. If a dishonest official, during day or night, should take even as much as one from a pile of one thousand sovereigns, the whole pile would instantly sink and a pool of water take its place, besides letting every person in the establishment know of the theft.—*Manchester Guardian*

ERIE, PA.

Mr. Frank Wankowsky, of Cleveland, O., is working in the planing mill of Bells, Cartridge & Co. He is a carver.

Mr. Ben Hartman has recently visited the Columbian Exposition grounds in Chicago. He remained in Cleveland, O., several days on his return. He resumed his work a few days ago.

Miss Tillie Straus had to leave the Pittsburg School, on account of ill health. She stays home with her parents.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH.

WEST 18TH ST. NEAR 5TH AVE., NEW YORK.

The 40th anniversary services will de held on Sunday, October 2d. The Holy Communion will be celebrated at the 2:45 P.M. service for Deaf-Mutes.

The Rector, Rev. Dr. Gallaudet, extends a cordial invitation to all to his friends to be present.

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A GREAT event in the history of the deaf and dumb of Pennsylvania will occur on Saturday, October 8th. That date will witness the formal opening of the new Institution buildings at Mt. Airy, a suburb of the City of Philadelphia. This will be the third removal since the establishment of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb in 1820. The Institution was founded by David G. Seixas, who as early as the year 1819 took a few deaf children to his own house and taught them, from motives of pure philanthropy. The building that is vacated by the transfer to Mt. Airy was first occupied in 1825. For nearly sixty-seven years, generation after generation of deaf-mutes has been educated within its walls; as graduates, they have gone forth into the world, have lived lives of useful industry, and, eventually, the majority have passed to that great hereafter where none are deaf and dumb.

In the rejoicings over the splendid and elegant new buildings, there will be mingled many tears of regret that the old institution must be vacated by the deaf and dumb forever.

WE place before the JOURNAL readers the "Preliminary Address of the committee of the World's Congress Auxiliary, on a Congress of the Deaf at Chicago, in 1893. The Appointment of the Committee on the World's Congress of the Deaf was announced in a previous issue, and the "*Advisory Council*" that accompanies the address has been selected by this committee. The array of names is quite large, and the representatives are individuals of intelligence and worth. We do not as yet know who will make up the programme or assign the topics. In fact, the topics have not as yet been classified. Still it is reasonable to expect that the subjects will be presented by those who best understand them, and whose experience and ability best fit them to prepare an exhaustive dissertation upon the particular theme assigned them. It would be well for every deaf-mute to note the subjoined paragraph, so that no one will go to Chicago in 1893 under the impression that the Congress of the Deaf is to be a gigantic mass meeting:—

"The Congress of the Deaf, like "other Congresses, will assemble in "a building to be permanently "known as the Memorial Art "Palace, but it is deemed for the "best interests of all that only a "limited number be allowed to "take part in the proceedings. "These shall be among 'the ablest "living representatives of the deaf,' "and will be selected by the under-"signed Committee, with the "advice of competent authorities."

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

BEGINNING with next week's issue, the subscription price of THE DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL will be One Dollar a year.

The deaf-mute public must not assume that because the price is reduced the quantity and quality of reading matter will also take a drop. On the contrary, every effort will be made to improve the JOURNAL. All the news from everywhere, that relates to the deaf, will be promptly and carefully published. No one can very well keep fully posted concerning the rank and file of the deaf, unless he reads the JOURNAL. Now is the time for you to send in your dollar and for a full year we will do the rest.

THE deaf-mute, named Edwards, who collected at least *one* subscription from an Illinois deaf-mute, has no connection with the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, and all deaf-mutes are cautioned against handing him money for subscriptions to this paper. If this should reach the eye of said Edwards, we advise him to send the amount collected by him, otherwise there will be trouble when we locate hin.

The Deaf at the Salons.

During the past year the various salons at Paris, the artistic capital of the world, have given flattering evidence of the honorable position which the deaf have taken in the world of art. At the Salon des Champs Elysees, Olivier Cherou exhibited a marine view of great merit, and Bres, another deaf artist, a "Portrait of My Father." The latter is executed with great fidelity and has exposed the artist to the criticism of paying too great attention to details. Nevertheless, as a writer in the *Revue International de l'Enseignement des Sourds-Muets* says, "more than one hearing artist would gladly have signed such a canvas." Leon Lambert exhibited two engravings "Moonlight," after Camille Paris, and "The Love Letter," after T. R. Fleury. This artist received a medal last year.

In the department of sculpture, Douglas Tilden, of California, had a bronze figure of an acrobat which quite maintains his artistic reputation. A French critic says of this young artist: "Coming to perfect himself by contact with the French school, he has been able to preserve his originality, while profiting by the instruction of his masters. His works, full of vigor, have an individuality of their own." Paul Choppin had a bust of la Tour d' Auvergne, "the first grenadier of France," which possessed much force and vigor. Another work by the same artist was a statuette, "Diana at the Bath," which is rather pretty than impressive.

Hennequin, whose fame as a sculptor has reached this side of the ocean, had an exquisite medallion of his daughter, a performance which ought to give him satisfaction both as an artist and as a father. The same artist exhibited a bust of Jules Boigeol.

Montille, a young pupil of the Ecole des Beux Arts, had a bust of the American deaf-mute painter, J. Alexander. For a first effort the bust is pronounced excellent, and the young artist is expected to attain distinction in the future. Another young sculptor who made his debut at the last salon was Fernand Hamar, who presented an excellent portrait bust, "Mlle. J. D."

Among the candidates whose productions were refused was a young Greek, Nestor Vorveris, a painter of considerable ability.

At the Salon du Champ de Mars, *Armand Berton had* three canvasses, the subjects of all these being children. He has a peculiar skill in this direction and the paintings are most charming. Several other deaf artists of minor note were also represented at the salon.—*Silent World.*

ITEMIZER.

Abbreviated News Concerning Deaf-Mutes.

The idea is to gather into this column items that relate to deaf-mutes personally, or to institutions for the benefit of deaf-mutes. We hope our friends and readers will keep us supplied with items for this column. Mark items to be sent: *The Itemizer.*

John P. Detweiler will be in Bloomsburg, Pa., this Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram F. Brown will move to 27 Dix Street, Worcester, Mass., this week.

A child was born to Mrs. Alice M. Yankauer on Sunday, September 24th. Both are doing well.

The engagement of Miss Bertha Aronson, of Chicago, and Mr. Charles Wolff, of St. Louis, is announced.

Mr. Chas. Van Tassell will hold religious service for the deaf-mutes, of Newark, N. J., at Trinity Church, on Sunday, October 2d, at 3 o'clock P.M.

Mr. J. W. McCullough visited his brother and friends of New York City, and went to New Haven, Conn. He will go to New York City next October.

Mr. William Temple, deaf-mute compositor, is requested to write to Mrs. J. H. Miller, 241 West Champlain St., Rochester, N. Y., giving his address.

Mr. Harry Detweiler, of Hatboro, Pa., has gone on a visit to Philadelphia, Danville and Wilkesbarre. He enjoyed the hospitality of his brothers John and Frank in Danville, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Heyman, of New York City, and Mr. and Mrs. Souweine, of Brooklyn, spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. McClelland, in Mountain View, N. J. They admired the twins immensely.

Miss Leila Nelson has met with a loss in the death of little "Bijou," the family pet, a most intelligent and affectionate black and tan that has been a member of the household for some years. "Bijou" was fond of his friends, always evincing great joy at meeting them. He will be missed by many as well as by the family.—*Poughkeepsie, N. Y., News-Press.*

COLLEGE CHRONICLE.

Indications of a Successful Year.

SIXTEEN NEW STUDENTS.

The Fellows—Kendall Athletic Club—Et Cetera.

From our College Correspondent.

Another year of college life has begun, and appearances indicate that it will be fully as successful as any in the past. The students began coming in at the beginning of the week, and by Wednesday, almost all were here. The term examinations occurred on that day and the next, and on Friday, recitations were begun.

The new class (yclept the "Ducks") is decidedly a good one on the whole, and numbers twenty; sixteen of them being young men and four young ladies. Following is a list of them: Messrs. Simleau, of Ohio; Boxley, of New York; Kestner, of Colorado; Ashman, of Iowa; Zahn, of Kentucky; Whitelocke, of Illinois; Sandoval, of New Mexico; Bartlett, of District of Columbia; Sahlberg, of Illinois; Kile, of Iowa; Roth, of Minnesota; Robbins, of Indiana; Brockhagen, of Iowa; Cummings, of Iowa; and Hays, of Pennsylvania. Also Misses Kershner, of Pennsylvania; Daly, of Brooklyn; Price, of New York; and Mickle, of New Jersey. Messrs. Ross and Faller, of Tennessee, and Kirk, of Connecticut, are at the Kendall School, also a young man from England, named Allen.

The Fellows this year are making even a more favorable impression than did those of last year. They are as follows: Messrs. Hall, Harvard; McKean, Williams; Bledsoe, Howard University; Archer, Hanover; and McAloney, Belfast. They are a very gentlemanly group, and no doubt will be of great aid on the athletic field as well as in whatever departments of instruction they may be placed.

The first meeting held in the Lyceum this term was for the purpose of electing a committee to have charge of the Reading Room. The following were chosen: Messrs. Brown and De Long, '93; Sheridan and Ryan, '94; Williams and Cowan, '95. Mr. De Long is President, and Mr. Williams, Treasurer. Mr. Cowan will act as Librarian, and Mr. Sheridan as Secretary.

The Kendall Athletic Club held its first meeting Saturday morning. No business beyond the usual routine was transacted, excepting the election of officers, which resulted in the following selections: Mr. Tilton, '93, President; Mr. McIlvaine, '93, Vice-President; Mr. Howard, '95, Secretary and Scorer; Mr. Divine, '94, Treasurer, and Mr. Ely—or, rather *Prof.* Ely, for he answers to that title now—Manager.

There are absentees from each of the four upper classes, viz: Miss Herdman, '93, and Messrs. Holtz, '94, Ward, '95, Herron, Dudley, Stansell and Miss Magill, '96. Mr. Kiene, '95, has not returned yet, being quarantined at New York, and Sessoms, '96, is still at his home in the Cracker State. He fears he will "catch the cholera" if he returns now.

Of last year's graduates, Taylor is teaching in North Dakota; Lange has charge of the Evansville (Ind.) day school; Miss Lowmann is a teacher in South Dakota; and Barton, Round and E. Long are doubtless engaged at some kind of business too, but what it is remains in doubt.

Of last year's Fellows, Wilcox is teaching at the Faribault (Minn.) Institution; Hare is engaged in the same profession at Fanwood; Scott is at the Texas Institution; Tillinghast is in Colorado; Vaught is Principal of the Chicago Day School, and Ely is now Profeesor of Mathematics in the college.

From Monday to Friday, the city was tremendously crowded. Immense numbers of people came from all parts of the country, and so dense was the throng that at several places about the city the street-cars were blockaded. The parade Tuesday was a most magnificent affair of several hours' duration, and, as they marched past the reviewing stand, flags flying and bands playing, many and many a loud huzza greeted the veterans. It was a thrilling sight and one not to be seen every day in the week. The corps of knights of the "billy" enforced admirable order, and the Reunion was an immense success in every way, barring the rain of Wednesday.

The joke—and a good one, too—is on Mr. Tilton '93, this time. Mr. Tilton arrived in Washington about 7 A. M., but being very tired and sleepy, did not awake in time to dress. As the train dashed through the city he awoke in time to see from the window of his berth the Washington Monument and dome of the Capitol far behind him. The air turned sulphurous instanter, but finally matters were compromised and Mr. Tilton got off at Baltimore and journeyed back in a state mind rather ungracious, it is to be feared.

P. Holtz, ex-'94, is employed down town.

Two stray sheep have returned. Drought, ex-'94, has joined '95, and Wright, ex-'95, has entered the ranks of '96.

The chapel has been very tastily decorated in terra cotta, green and old gold, upon a background of olive

Dr. Gallaudet is looking somewhat thinner than usual, having been quite sick during the summer.

Prof. Hotchkiss has not returned yet, being very ill with typhoid fever at his home. All hope for his speedy recovery.

Captain Brown has his eye on the new class for foot-ball recruits. If there is any merit in the class, it will have to come out.

Stafford, '93, is still absent, probably being quarantined at New York. Like Kiene, '95, he was in Europe during the summer.

A beautiful white marble mantel has been put in the library, and adds much to the good looks of the room.

All are engaged in practicing the verb "to dig" just now. It is no easy thing to do after three months' absence from books.

F. J. B.

KENDALL GREEN, 10–25–'92.

THE WORLD'S CONGRESS AUXILIARY OF THE WORLD'S COLUMBIAN EXPOSITION.

Department of Education.

PRELIMINARY ADDRESS OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WORLD'S CONGRESS AUXILIARY ON A CONGRESS OF THE DEAF AT CHICAGO, IN 1893.

WORLD'S CONGRESS HEADQUARTERS,
CHICAGO, AUGUST, 1892.

To the Deaf of the World, Greeting:—The greatest World's Exposition ever seen will take place in the City of Chicago, U.S.A., in the year 1893, and will be held from May to October. It will be known as the "World's Columbian Exposition," in commemoration of the discovery of America by Christopher Columbus, four hundred years ago. All the Governments of the World nave been invited to send exhibits to the Exposition, and most of them have gladly accepted the invitation and made appropriations for such a purpose.

The Exposition, occupying 700 acres of ground, will be held in a beautiful park on the South Side of Chicago, and will be by far the largest and most comprehensive of its kind the world has yet witnessed.

NOT MATTER, BUT MIND.

In connection with the Exposition there will he held a series of World's Congresses which will be composed of individuals eminent for their attainments or achievements. These Congresses, which will occur in a separate building, in another part of the city, will be under the general direction of the World's Congress Auxiliary, an organization authorized by the Directory of the World's Columbian Exposition, and recognized by the United States Government, which has invited other Governments to send delegates to the various Congresses. Its objects may be briefly stated:

I. To provide for the proper presentation of the intellectual and moral progress of the world in a series of World's Congresses, under the auspices of the Auxiliary, with the assistance of the leaders in all the chief departments of human achievements.

II. To provide places of meeting and other facilities for appropriate organizations to hold conventions in Chicago at a convenient time in the Exposition season of 1893, for the consideration of the living questions pending in their respective departments.

III. To arrange and conduct a series of Union Congresses to present to the people the most important results attained in the several departments of civilized life, voiced by the ablest living representatives whose attendance can be procured.

IV. To provide for the proper publication of the proceedings of such Congresses, as the most valuable and endurable memorial of the World's Columbian Exposition of 1893.

Realizing that a Congress would prove a most opportune event if held at such a time, the undersigned Committee made formal application to the President of the World's Congress Auxiliary for the privilege of holding "An International Congress of the Deaf," under the auspices of that organization. The plan of work, the Committee stated, would include such subjects for discussion as would naturally pertain to the deaf and their education, and in which the general public would be interested. The President has, through the proper official, given his approval of such a gathering of the deaf from all parts of the world, and has appointed the undersigned Committee to look after the details of the same.

NOT THINGS, BUT MEN,

The Congress of the Deaf, like other Congresses, will assemble in a building to be permanently known as the Memorial Art Palace, but it is deemed for the best interests of all that only a limited number be allowed to take part in the proceedings. These shall be among "the ablest living representatives of the deaf," and will be selected by the undersigned Committee, with the advice of competent authorities.

As many Congresses of a Department will be in simultaneous session, it has been so arranged that the Congress of the Deaf will be held in simultaneous session with other Congresses. The building to be used by the Auxiliary will contain thirty or more rooms, with a seating capacity for from three hundred to seven hundred in each, and also two audience rooms capable of accommodating about three thousand people, thus affording ample time and opportunity for different Congresses to hold their meetings on the same date.

The World's Congress Auxiliary extends, through the undersigned Committee, a cordial invitation to the deaf of the world to be present at the great International Congress of the Deaf, to be held in Chicago some time next year, most probably during the latter part of July. The exact dates, the topics for discussion, the regulations for the order of business, and other information, will be announced later.

The undersigned have proposed, and the President of the Auxiliary has appointed, as members of an Advisory Council of this Congress, many well-known and eminent deaf people from various parts of the world, who are respectfully requested to co-operate with them by offering whatever suggestions they may deem worthy of consideration.

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Com. on World's Congress of the Deaf.

PARTIAL LIST OF THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON A WORLD'S CONGRESS OF THE DEAF.

The following persons have been appointed members of the Advisory Council of the World's Congress Auxiliary on an International Congress of the Deaf. Additional appointments may be made on the Council at any time. Should any persons appointed prefer not to serve as members of the Council, they are respectfully requested to notify the Committee:

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Iafo Valenzie, Buenos Ayres, A. R.

Moritz Corngold was in New Haven recently, on a visit to Major Reich. He staid two days, and went to the famous East Rock Park and saw the Soldier's Monument. He also called on Mr. L. G. Leek and had a very pleasant conversation.

A private social gathering was held last Monday evening, in the residence of Edward Whalen, on Charlton Street, and proved to be most enjoyable. It was tendered to our good natured friend, Mr. John C. Reilly, in honor of his birthday. The programme of the social entertainment was in attractive one, and contained several special features of a high order. Among those who were present at the gathering were: Misses Carrie Staring, Eva Freeholder, Maggie Donoho, Catherine Aird, Mrs. Grace Cumminger, Messrs. Peter Mitchell, William McVea, Benjamin Dennison, Edward Whalen, Henry Hamm and others.

Another Laura Bridgman.

AN EXPERIMENT TO BE TRIED ON A DEAF, DUMB AND BLIND GIRL.

DANVILLE, KY., Sept. 19.—Among the new pupils at the state deaf and dumb institution in this city this year is Daisy Billings of Louisville, who is deaf, dumb and blind. She is 9 years of age and has been deprived of sight and hearing since infancy. She has every indication of sound mind. The officers will soon adopt a plan for her education and her progress will be a matter of peculiar interest. With the remarkable cases of Laura Bridgman and Helen Keller, who were similarly afflicted, in mind, the officers hope for success.—*Ohio State Journal.*

THE PROTEAN SOCIETY.

[OFFICIAL NOTICE.]

The meeting of the Protean Society for the election of officers will be postponed until Thursday evening, October 6th.

By the order of the Counselor.
W. L. BOWERS,
Chairman Ex. Committee.

Hartford Jottings.

The celebration is now among the things of the past, but its pleasant reflections will ever remain green in our memories. All who were present report having had a jolly, good time, and there is no reason why they should not, for it was here that they met and chatted with old time associates, whom in many instances they had not seen for scores of years, and passing through the interior, and surroundings of their dear Alma Mater how vividly must the scenes of their past school life have been recalled to their mind's eye!

But it is not our purpose to speak only of the bright side of the late reunion. It seems more proper to us to draw the curtain aside and expose just a little of the onerous side of it. Well it left things at the old school in rather a topsy-turvy condition. Many of the class-rooms were changed into sleeping appartments, thus necessitating the removal of desks, tables and chairs; loads of beds and cots hired at the city were piled up here and there; bed-clothing of every description was taken from its storing places; in short everything available about the buildings was made to do service for the comfort of the guests. But this task of moving and removing things, great as it was, was wholly lost sight of by the officers, so dearly are the graduates of the school held at heart. Indeed so thoroughly did those willing hands do the work, that upon the opening of school, everything was found in its accustomed place, so that one could hardly realize that there had been a convention at all. And, too, the amount of time and thought paid by the officers and committee to the carrying out of the great event can be appreciated only by the few, for the work done by them was simply immense, yet they neither made a show of it nor asked for any compensation.

The opening of the school on the fifteenth, found a goodly number of pupils in attendance, though it had its usual quota of tardy ones. The places of those that left the school for good last June, were supplied by enough of new ones to make up two pretty large-sized classes. Thus the school so long as it receives its supply of raw material will continue in its great, noble work.

Vacation well spent is a good thing for our pupils, but it also has its defects. In the first place, many of them frequently bring habits from home that cannot be allowed in a well managed Institution, and hence it takes time and patience on the part of the officers and teachers to eradicate them. And returning to school after weeks of vacation, the minds of many of our pupils seem to retain little or nothing of subjects with which they were quite familiar at the close of the last term. They seem to have lost everything, and are as unfit for study as the horse that has been turned to grass all summer for the hard work at the plough.

When we make use of the term, *turned to grass*, the gentle readers must catch the real meaning, for we were just here reminded of a conundrum, which we picked up somewhere. It runs in this wise. A smart farmer returned home from his work one evening, and asked his better half to guess what miracle he had done during the day. The good dame gave it up. Whereupon he muttered out with a broad grin: "*I turned my horse to grass.*" But to return to our subject, if we would restore the horse to his former working state, we must begin with light work, and then increase it daily. So we, teachers, must learn "to make haste slowly," but surely, with our pupils at the beginning of every new term.

The *Register's* criticism of the poems prepared by Mrs. Fischer for the exercises of our late celebration seem to us to be unfair, considering the circumstances under which they were written. Mrs. Fischer was not given notice of her selection to do the work, until within only a few weeks before the opening of the convention, and the wonder to us that she did so well in so short a time. It takes time and forethought to write poetry, and the *Register* should make note of it.

The statement of the *Silent World* that "nothing of substantial benefit to the deaf" was done by the New England Gallaudet Association at its late convention, reminds us of this sentence: "You tickle me and I'll tickle you." During the past summer and spring, the New England Gallaudet Association liberally patronized the JOURNAL and *Register* in the line of spacious advertisements and notices and, therefore, because the *Silent World* was ignored, it is not to be wondered at that that papers hould feel just a little unfriendly towards us.

Two of our lady teachers, Misses Sweet and Hammond, took a trip across the great pond at the close of school last June. After spending over thirteen weeks of pleasant and profitable sight-seeing abroad, they left Queenstown for home, Sunday, September 11th, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on board the fast sailing steamer, "Etruria," and reached Sandy Hook, Saturday, the 17th, at 9:30 A.M. They were detained only six hours in quarantine, and reached Hartford at 3:30 Sunday morning. They spent two weeks on the Emerald Isle. Then they went to Scotland and from thence to England. They spent a week at the English Lakes and visited all the principal Cathedral cities, and last but not least, they visited Wales. They report having had a most delightful summer.

SCRIBE.

NEW YORK.

Come and Help Celebrate

COLUMBUS' DISCOVERY OF AMERICA.

"Rose Michel," by Thomas Godfrey—The Brooklyn Society Can Feel Proud—Notes, Personal and Otherwise.

From our New York Correspondent.

If you live within one day's traveling distance of New York, and can spare the time and expense, by all means make this part of the country your haven during the days of October 9th, 10th, 11th and 12th.

The town and the townspeople are going to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus. The preparations just at present, from an outward view, reveal piles upon piles of lumber that have been converted into tiers upon tiers of seats. They are known as grand stands, and there are, or there are to be, fifteen of them that will grace different points along the route of the parades that are to take place.

The town will be decorated on a magnificent scale. Private dwellings as well as public buildings are to be trimmed with regalia. The coming generation who are now acquiring knowledge at school and college will have a chance to assert itself. Their turn-out will be followed by a grand view of the militia, not alone of this city and State, but an army from other States as well. This is to be followed by a grand night pageant, which, interspersed with a monster naval parade, the illumination of the Brooklyn Bridge, the chiming of bells, and the immense crowds that will be in the city, goes to show New York's Columbus celebration is going to be something deaf-mutes can see and enjoy as well as hearing people.

The festivities begin on the 8th, when services will occur in the synagogues. On the 9th, services commemorative of the occasion will take place in churches of all denominations. It is possible the service for deaf-mutes in St. Ann's Church on that day will be largely attended, and no doubt a similar state of affairs will favor the Catholic services at St. Francis Xavier's.

New York will be able to take care of itself and its people, and also the vast crowds likely to be here during the celebration. Her silent citizens will not fail to extend their hospitality to whoever of their class find their way hither.

For a record it can well feel proud of, the Brooklyn Society of deaf-mutes deserves a place at the head. Its independency is one of the characteristics few other deaf-mute organizations hereabouts can claim. It has battled for existence more than once with little more than a handful of recruits to fall back on. But despite adversity, it has continued to thrive, and to-day has a roll-call that numbers twenty or more. The promptitude it has maintained in conducting a regular monthly programme of events is cause for congratulation.

The more so from the fact it has from the outset always paid for the attractions presented the members and their friends.

The evening of September 24th witnessed the opening of its fall and winter term. On that occasion, the persevering and popular president of the organization, Mr. Thomas Godfrey, was the star. He figured as leading man, leading lady, and in fact, assumed a variety of characters in the rendering of the romance, "Rose Michel." To say he did credit to himself and to the characters he so silently yet graphically portrayed, the attention he received from the fifty pairs of eyes that were owned by his auditors, more than asserted. They followed his every movement with a closeness that would have caused an ordinary man possessed of his full senses to blink fifty times a minute. It took very near two hours to finish the recital, and the curtain raiser and after pieces were cleverly conducted by Vice-President Archie McLaren.

Henry Schnakenberg reports a good sound item in the way of receipts, and relates an incident that happened to an individual who has been doing the town the last week or two. On the merits of his good looks, or his good clothes perhaps, and the plea of being a stranger in town, he tried to work the "D. H." racket. It might have done elsewhere, but with Treasurer Schnakenberg at the gate, the President of the United States would have had to pay to see the show. Henry Schnakenberg is as immovable as a sphinx, and when it is considered the Association pays its way as it goes along, it has a right to expect the same consideration from those who attend its entertainments. October 22d will find Prof. Thomas F. Fox on the rostrum, an able exponent of the "Tariff" question, not in the interest of politics as might be presumed, but for the purpose of enlightening his auditors on the vexatious question. Ye great artist, from the Heights of Washington, Wm. Gladstone Jones, follows in November, and engagements for the next two months have already been booked. Between dates, business and debates will serve to keep the members' minds from becoming lax.

Dr. Gallaudet's conduct of services at St. David's Church, Brooklyn, on Sunday 25th, occasioned the presence of Rev. Anson T. Colt, in the pulpit at St. Ann's Church.

The crazy-quilt-watermelon-seed guessing match on the evening of 21st, was not enthusiastic as expected. Think of a man or woman trying to guess the number of seeds in a watermelon they never gazed at, and were not permitted to gaze at before placing their guess, and you will know the whereof. Our second sight artists are few and far between, but they are always careful about their disclosures. The quilt itself was a needlework specimen of the "Ida Montgomery Circle" young ladies, and from all reports was a thing of beauty, but yet to go on record as a joy forever. The watermelon was munched, we understand, on the failure of the guesses to materialize. Social converse was the order, with the exception, Miss Ella Taylor entertained with a rendering of some posey sign making.

Friends of Miss Annie Ryan, were grieved to learn of the death of her sister, Miss Ellen Ryan, which occurred on last Wednesday morning, from pleurisy. The young lady was taken sick while summering in the Catskill. She was known to a large circle of deaf-mutes as a pleasant-spoken and kind-mannered young woman. For many years, she had been employed sorting types in the well known type foundry of Bruce & Sons. The funeral took place on Friday, and the interment was in Calvary Cemetery.

The mother of Mr. James Russell died very suddenly at her late residence, 332 East 116th Street, on Tuesday, September 27th, at 6:30 P.M. The immediate cause of her demise was pneumonia, with a complication of heart trouble. Deceased was in her sixty-fifth year, and a most estimable woman, whose attachment for her son James and his family was very marked. Much sympathy is expressed for the family in their bereavement.

It is not every man that looks well in an "Evening Sun" hat, and it is not every hat of that pattern that becomes those who admire it. Mr. S. M. Brown is an exception to the rule. His latest investment was a hat of this kind, of a soft brown shade. Look at him as you will, the conclusion arrived at is Mr. S. M. Brown and his hat fit each other immensely.

A very perceptible increase was noticed in the attendance at the services in St. Francis Xavier, Sunday, 25th. In the absence of Mr. James Russell, who was detained owing to the sickness of his mother. Mr. J. F. O'Brien spoke on the History of the Catholic religion. The discourse was brief, to allow the members of a branch of the St. Vincent de Paul Society to have the use of the hall. The services will be continued, every Sunday, and excepting the fourth Sunday, the services will begin at 2:30 P.M.

Tilson Haight wore a pleased look last week. At the New Jersey festivities Saturday before, he lost a gold ring which he valued highly. The loss was reported to the Association, and happily the trinket was found and returned to its owner.

Among the attendance at the St. Francis Xavier's services, the past few Sundays, has been Mrs. E. Murphy, mother of Mrs. E. Collins, of Troy, N. Y. Mrs. Murphy did valuable service as a nurse, at the New York Institute, during the outbreak of small-pox. She takes pleasure in speaking of many former Fanwood pupils. At present, she holds the responsible position of housekeeper at the Park Avenue Hotel.

Mrs. James F. Donnelly surprised her friends by her appearance among them on Sunday afternoon. She has almost recovered from her recent sickness, and Sunday's mild weather prompted a trip over the bridge. With her was little Ben and his father.

Looking around us in search of a heavy weight, of the Corbett-Sullivan type, the search in mutedom is somewhat onerous. We have him, however, and though in height he falls a foot and a half below the standard, in other respects he fills the bill. The Lexington Avenue school boys can lay claim to him as a former representative. At school he was a light and curly headed little fellow. He still holds on to that peculiarity of nature, but in other respects, he has just passed his twenty-fifth year, tips the beam at two hundred and seventeen pounds, not all beef, but solid brawn and muscle, and further than that, he is a New York boy by birth and has no reason to feel shy of his name being disclosed—James Charles Reilly.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McIlwraith, with their little son, spent the twenty-fifth as the guests of Miss Grace Denvir. Next Sunday will chronicle a name being given to the McIlwraith heir, to distinguish him from his father, and the happy event promises to be replete with interest.

MONTAGUE TIGG.

Painted him Red and Blue.

Henry Allenbach of No. 113 North Third Street, Williamsburg, was arrested yesterday on a charge preferred by his father, of having painted his deaf-mute brother red and blue from head to foot while he slept.

It took the united efforts of the young man, his father and his mother to remove the paint with the aid of turpentine, hot water and soap. Henry will have to answer for his joke to-day.—*Press, Sept. 27.*

COLUMBUS.

A Pleasant and Encouraging Outlook.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO A DEAF-MUTE'S FATHER.

BREVITIES.

(From our Columbus Correspondent.)

We are in the midst of the second week of the school year, yet so smoothly have things run that it seems as if there had been no vacation at all. With one exception all the teachers are in their places, and are enthusiastic in their work. The pupils too are showing a disposition to pursue their studies with vim and vigor this forbodes good results for the year. What is more, a spirit of willing obedience to observe the rules of the school prevades among them; thanks to Ex-Superintendent Knott for discipline he inaugurated when he took charge of the institution two years ago. It is bearing good fruit now. Superintendent Clark is following in the footsteps of his predecessor in this respect, and we feel assured that the school, under his guidance, will take no step backward, but on the contrary keep apace with the best managed institutions of the country. The attendance thus far is 316 pupils, of whom about 35 are newcomers, which includes several who have attended school formerly at other institutions. Promptness in coming to school has been better here the past year than for some years past, and in during October, we predict the building will have all the pupils it can comfortably hold. Superintendent Clark thinks there will be an attendance of from 375 to 385 pupils for the year.

Principal Patterson has the classes well arranged and classified. Some of the teachers are congratulating themselves on account of the bright and intelligent pupils they have this year under their instruction. This is due in a great part to the systematic course of instruction adopted here, and we are just beginning to enjoy the fruits of it. What will be the result a year or two hence, when the whole school, from the youngest to the oldest class, will have received the full benefits of this course? The answer cannot be otherwise than one of good effect to the pupil, and a credit to the institution.

Among the pleasant features of school life in an Institution of this kind, and which help to relieve the monotony of lesson getting, are the evening sociables for the pupils. These have been rather infrequent here of late years. We are glad, therefore to note that this year, at least, they are to form part of the program of amusements for the pupils. Each floor is to have two during the school year. The first will be given during October, and is for the pupils on the C floor of the school building; the second in November, for the B floor; and the third for the children on the A floor, during December. The second round begins again in February with the C floor, and so on. The third articulation teacher has at last been given permanent quarters as far as this year is concerned. When the department was started up last year, there was no room for it, but instead was kept on the move all the time, using three of the sign class rooms. This necessitated a change of rooms three times a day. To remedy the inconvenience, part of the west end of the boys' reading room has been partitioned off, and the space thus secured will be for the use of Miss Clark's classes. To gain entrance or exit a doorway has been made of the window next to the dining rooms doors, which opens direct into the hall running north and south to the school building.

Mrs. Sarah Miles McCormick, a former assistant matron of the Institution, was a visitor here last week. There are not many persons here now who knew her, when she was officially connected with the Institution. Her husband, not many years ago, represented one of the Southern Ohio districts in Congress.

Miss Francis Saunders assumed charge of her class Tuesday morning. Mrs. Robert Patterson meanwhile had been instructing the young idea for her.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor seem to have lost all charms for Mound Street, on which thoroughfare they have been residing for a number of years. They may now be found at 619 Oak Street, to which place they moved last week.

Mr. E. T. King was absent from his place in the bindery last Thursday, the 16th. When asked the cause of it, with a smile a mile wide, he was just able to say: It's a girl.

Cards are out announcing the wedding of two of Ohio's deaf-mutes in this city next week.

Mr. George Robey is the only reunion visitor left in the city now, and he proposes to remain here several months yet with friends and relatives.

On Monday, Miss Maggie Moore, of South Toledo, who had been entertained by Miss Flora Voelkel, of Grove City, left for her home, and on Wednesday, Miss Christina Weidner, who had been stopping with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Greener, bade adieu to Columbus scenes, and went to her home up at Liverpool, Medina County.

The Columbus *Dispatch* of Friday contained the following:

ARCHITECT PHILPOTT KILLED.

WHEELING, W. VA., Sept. 23.—About 10 o'clock last night O. S. Philpott, leading architect of West Virginia, fell down a flight of stairs at his residence here and broke his neck. He leaves a wife and five children, one girl a cripple and a boy deaf and dumb, which makes the occurrence a very sad one. He was a former resident of Cleveland, Ohio.

The deaf boy mentioned in the above was a pupil here for several years. When his parents removed to West Virginia, he was sent to the School at Romey, where he was a pupil up to last June. He was in attendance at the reunion here, and we were much surprised to see the great improvement about him since he left here as pupil. We are sorry for the misfortune that has overtaken his parent.

We wonder if "Robin Hood," one of the JOURNAL's correspondents, has joined the Benedicts. It looks that way, for the *Dispatch* of last week, in its marriage license annoucements states that one had been issued to Christopher Neuner and Mary Lena Frederica Krammar. Here's to you and yours, "Robin." We hope, however, the new engagement you have entered, will not prevent you from occasionally entertaining the JOURNAL readers with your pen.

Clionia Society and the Crandon Club have organized for the year. The former has greatly increased in membership, and expects to have some very interesting debates. The Crandon Club is the little boy's debating society, and proposes to keep up its reputation for lively little debates and story telling during the year.

September, 24, '92.

NEW JERSEY.

(From our Newark correspondent.)

This is our first attempt, and we hope to keep the JOURNAL readers posted from time to time of the doings of the New Jersey Association and its silent population.

The JOURNAL is the best deaf-mute paper and has a large circulation in this city—Newark, and throughout the State of New Jersey. With the reduction of its subscription price to one dollar a year, more will no doubt take advantage and subscribe. We have already been assured of several next week.

The New Jersey State Deaf-Mute Literary Association has now twenty-one members and with bright prospects for the future.

The picnic given on the 17th inst., which was detailed in last weeks' issue of this paper, was indeed a social and financial success. Mr. C. Jastram, the chairman of the Arrangement Committee, has a right to feel proud, because to him most of the success of the affair is due. At the last meeting of the Association, he was tendered a vote of thanks by those present, and presented with a sum of money to show him that his efforts were appreciated by the Association.

There is some talk of giving a Ball this coming winter. Probably action will be taken at the next meeting, and it is hoped that all will work for its success, for it will be raise money to send delegates to ths deaf-mute convention at Chicago next summer, to represent the State of New Jersey's interests.

Mr. Chas. W. Van Tassell, a teacher of the Primary Department of the New York Institution held service in Newark, N. J., on Sunday, the 18th inst. There were thirty-two deaf-mutes present; not a large number, to be sure, but by far the largest this season. Close attention was paid by all in attendance, which proves that Mr. Van Tassell's discourse was interesting. After the service, the writer, who is a graduate of Fanwood, accompanied Mr. Van Tassell to the station. It is a long, long time since we saw Mr. Van Tassell, and we had a very pleasant chat of events and incidents of the sweet days gone by. We hope that Mr. Van Tassell will ere long favor us with another visit.

Mr. Paul Kees, at one time a pupil of Fanwood, but who finished his education at the Trenton School for the Deaf, has returned home refreshed from a pleasure trip with his mother to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, D. C. He is a compositor by trade, and works for the Heinz Printing Company in Newark, N. J. He is a prominent and a steady young man, and a great help to his mother, whom he supports. He is a member of the local society, and bids fair to make his way up. DIXON.

Information Wanted.

99 GREENWOOD ST.,
CLEVELAND, O., Sept. 22, 1892.

Where is Willie Cowley? What has become of him? Let us know if he is alive or not. He left his clothes and trunk at our house. He left for Put-in-Bay on a steamer on Sunday morning, August 14, 1892. He has not returned yet. We fear he has been drowned, but we found his name in a newspaper as stopping at the New York Hotel. We do not know whether it is true or not. Please let us know immediately. J. EDAM.

Rev. Mr. Mann's Appointment.

OCTOBER.

1.—St. Louis.
2.—St. Louis, 11 A.M., Holy Communion.
2.—St. Louis, 3 P.M., Evening Prayer and Service.
3.—St. Louis.
4.—St. Louis.

WORLD'S FAIR CITY.

Wedding Bells.

MR. VAUGHT'S POSITION.

Society Season Opens—Baptisms—A Narrow Escape.

From our Chicago correspondent.

It is seldom that the tables are turned. Thirty young folks tendered Miss Bertha Aaronson a surprise party at her residence on West 14th Street last Saturday evening. The fair hostess agreeably surprised her surprisers with the announcement of her engagement to Mr. Wolff, of St. Louis. The happy young man was present at the occasion, and after congratulations were over, games, refreshment and amusement were made to speed away the hours. Mrs. C. T. Sullivan chaperoned Miss Aaronson, and to her belongs the credit of making the affair a success.

Apropos to the hymeneal subject, is the announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Lulu Herdman to Rev. James H. Cloud. The affair will take place Tuesday evening, October 4th, at seven o'clock, at Christ Church Cathedral, in St. Louis. Several Chicagoans will run down to attend the affair. The young couple are both well known to the deaf. Miss Herdman has for the four past years divided the honors with the leaders of the class of '92, now the senior class at Kendall Green, until poor health obliged her to abandon her plan of completing the college course. Rev. Mr. Cloud successfully passed the priesthood examination last month. He is well known as a contributor to magazines and papers of the deaf. At present he is principal of the St. Louis Day School, which he has successfully managed. The nupital knot will be tied in public. Friends of both of the young couple unite in wishing them a pleasant "send off."

The matrimonial market is not dull by any means. A third announcement heralds the future marriage of Mr. Charles Angle, a Chicagoan to the backbone, to Miss Lottie Hebbard of Wisconsin. Mr. Angle is at present working in a paper mill in Wisconsin.

Copies of the preliminary address of the Congress of the Deaf have been mailed to its members. Any failure to receive same should be reported to the General Delivery where they are undoubtedly tied up for want of street address. In compiling the lest of Advisory Council, there has been a few omissions of worthy names, which will be corrected in due time. Curiosity compelled us to examine the list. There are 250 names recorded, and out of these, 76 are college men, not including the three upon the committee. Five young ladies of some literary fame are scattered in the list, while nine ladies, most of whom have taken up the tasks of their deceased husbands, represent the married element of the sex in the council. A meeting of the local committee was held at the club room, Saturday night, and a tremendous amount of business was transacted until 11:30 when adjournment became necessary. The proceedings are not for publication at this time. The ladies prominent in the list abovementioned, are Mrs. A. G. Bell, Mrs. Laura A. Searing, Mrs. H. W. Syle. The oralists are well represented in the council.

A letter from Mr. Lindeman, of New York City, gives the pleasing announcement of half-rates being granted to deaf-mutes of Germany by the Hamburg-American Packet Company good for six months next year.

Mr. George Francis Jefferson, whose name has suddenly sprung into notoriety, will shortly open a book store in the city—that is, according to his own statement.

The attendance at All Angels' Church last Sunday was particularly large. Interest was increased with the advent of two baptisms. Miss Moses, formerly of Ohio, was one to embrace the church. The infant of Mr. and Mrs. George Fraser took to the sacred water without the least outcry.

Rev. Mr. Frank Read, who is also an editor and teacher, conducted the services at the Methodist Church. This was his first appearance in about ten years.

Miss White, one of the belles of our social circle, had a very narrow escape from instant death. While out driving with one of the Cross family in Indiana, the flying express came dashing around the curve, and struck a glancing blow at the rear wheel, just as the vehicle had safely crossed. Miss White has not yet recovered from the fright.

Mr. and Mrs. Sansom made another trip to Indiana, this time a guest of his old college chum, Jesse Cross. Mr. Cross has several brothers deaf like him. The family and the few relatives own fine farm lands in the neighborhood, which together make fully a square mile of land.

Mrs. Dougherty has betaken herself with child to her parents in St. Louis. Mrs. Colby and child have followed suit—are in Joliet. The freed husbands were both seen embracing each other, and declaring to keep "de oder company."

The eyesight of poor Fredo Hyman continues to be a source of anxiety to his friends. It has been found necessory to place him under treatment at a hospital in Milwaukee.

The visitors' book at the club reveals the visits of Alfred Jenson and Claude Wakefield, both of Kenosha, and Jonathan Gates, of Toronto, Ontario. All three were in town on pleasure bent.

The local committee on the Congress have also received complimentary tickets to the Dedicatory ceremonies at the Fair grounds, through the courtesy of Major Handy.

Frank Patterson, of Kansas City, an old chum of the reporter, is visiting in Englewood.

The lecture and social seasons will soon open. Mr. Gallaher has charge of the plans. He is at present the hardest worker. As secretary of the Congress committee, he works like a bee in a hive. As president of the Press Club, he looks after the lecture engagements, and as chairman of the entertainment committee of the Pasa-Pas, his fertile mind is inventing some entertainment for every three or four weeks to come.

The Ball Committee has informally announced that the fancy ball will probably be held February 4th, at Douglas Hall. There are plans on foot for a theatrical entertainment in December, to be held on a large scale in some public hall. The matter is still under discussion.

The impression somehow obtained ground that Mr. Vaught was a supporter of "pure oralism," and that it was his ultimate intention of conducting the schools on that plan. A letter of inquiry was addressed to him by a prominent young man, who has permitted us, in justice to Mr. Vaught, to reproduce his reply. The letter, prompt and clear, shows the rumors are entirely without foundation, in fact:

My dear Sir:—Yours of the 20th inst. just received, and I reply at once. * * * And now touching what you say as to the "method" to be used in the Chicago schools for the deaf, I am very glad indeed that you wrote what you did. It gives me a chance to correct an evident misapprehension, or what would speedily develop into such were it not corrected. Supt. Lane (this refers to the Superintendent of the Public Schools of Chicago) has been grossly misquoted. He is in favor of the combined method. This I know from conversations I had with him both before and after my election. Moreover, I had a distinct understanding with the City Board that I was to be the Superintendent of the Chicago Schools for the Deaf. Very likely the schools will take their "method" from their Superintendent. I am a thorough believer in the *combined method*, and that is the method we expect to use. That is the method favored by the School Board, Supt. Lane, as well as by myself.

In my selection of teachers, the question, and the only question, will be one of ability. Of course I mean ability in the broadest sense, including everything that goes to make up a good teacher. The application of all stands on the same basis. I am confident that the deaf would not have it otherwise. I am very much pleased to hear that my "first impressions" have been favorable. It is my earnest wish to unite all interested in the support of the schools. If this can be done, I feel satisfied the schools will be eminently successful. I have no axes of my own to grind, and expect to let others grind their own. One purpose I have in all that I do, and that is to build up the schools. To this end I shall give my best thought and hardest work.

With strong hopes that success is ahead, and again thanking you for your kind letter, I am yours truly,

L. O. VAUGHT.

The oralists and Miss Mary True will please now take a back seat.

RASCO.

A Deaf and Dumb Woman Cruelly Beaten.

Cincinnati Enquirer, Sept. 25.

A dastardly assault was made upon a helpless woman last night by Philip Schmidt.

Shortly after 8 o'clock last night Schmidt, who is a cigar maker, and who lives on Wilstach street, met Mary Huerrman, an aged deaf-mute, entering her yard. He went to her and made signs, conveying thereby information suggestive that he did not want her to come into the yard.

The woman, it seems, did not understand his signs fully and paid no attention to him, further than to wave her hand in answer.

Schmidt, seeing that the woman was bound to get in, made an attempt to stop her, but was unsuccessful, and becoming enraged threw a brick at her. The missile missed its mark, and this only served to make

HIM MORE ANGRY.

Seizing a potato masher, he ran to the woman and commenced to beat her, continuing the assault until stopped by Officer Schaefer, of the Fifth District, who heard the cries for help and responded.

The assailant of the hapless woman, even though he had just thrown down the mallet, denied the charge made against him to the officers, but when taken to the station and confronted by Lieutenant Rockwell made a statement to this effect: The woman whom he assaulted formerly rented a room from him, and upon leaving there a few days ago left several pieces of property in his yard, and to obtain them went there last night. Schmidt claimed that the woman owed him some money for rent, and that he would not turn the goods over to her until she settled. The woman denied this statement, and informed the Lieutenant that she had paid

ALL OF THE MONEY

Due Schmidt. Then she went on and in the sign language gave a statement of the assault. Schmidt first hit her with a potato-masher, and after he had given her a good beating his wife and several others in the family pounced upon her and beat her almost to insensibility.

The injuries received by the woman were two scalp wounds on the right side of the head, a pair of black eyes, two bruises on the breast and one in the stomach.

ST. LOUIS.

The Club Room a Thing of Beauty.

A FAIR EVANGELIST.

What is Going on in Town.

From our St. Louis Correspondent.

Not since the days when the club moved from its old quarters in the Young Men's Christian Association building to the present one, did it present such a clean and magnificent appearance to the ordinary observer than to-day.

The whole evening of this week was devoted by some of the energetic and willing members to a complete renovating of the room. The carpet was taken off and given a hard beating down. The walls were cleaned by a man employed by the club; the chairs, table and mantel were varnished. The platforms now have a beautiful brown color. Four peacock-blue curtains adorn the windows in the place of the tapestry as formerly. In a few weeks, the club will be presented *gratis*, by our artist, a large crayon picture of the club members taken two years ago. It will be an enlargement of a small photograph of the members taken by Robert P. McGregor in front of the pagoda at Forest Park, in June, 1890. With frame, it will probably measure 5x8 feet, and Kerr has been working on it during his leisure since that year.

Working all the time we could spare this week, forbids us from gathering more news than is given below.

Never before was the hall in Bowman's building so crowded to overflowing as last Sunday.

It was not Rev. Mr. Read they were all listening to with the commendable eagerness and aspiration of a church-goer. It was a lady who was giving on the pulpit a soft and kind exhortation to the crowd that filled the room, even to some extent out of the doors. It was Miss Cynthia Luttrell, of Jacksonville, who fearlessly faced the audience, and the "Life of Christ" was her sermon, which was very instructive.

There is plenty of interesting gossip anent our sociable side. Visitors who came and departed last week, number about five. Miss Luttrell returned to Jacksonville last Tuesday to resume her tutorial duties.

W. I. Tilton, the young college student, arrived here last Sunday, and stopped at the Southern Hotel. Monday morning saw him leave on his journey for Washington.

Miss Alma Musgrave, of Huttsonville, Ill., was a distinguished visitor at Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby's house. A small company entertained her and Tilton last Sunday night. The Jacoby mansion is rapidly becoming a favorite rendzevous for Illinoisans to visit while in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Brant, of St. Paul, Minn., called to see their relatives in this city last week, and regret time was so limited that they could not call to see their mute friends. Fred is well-reputed here, and his wife is a native of Minnesota. Fred left St. Louis in 1884, and has since held a case on the *Pioneer Press* of that city.

Misses Lida Wilson and Shack, of Columbia, Ill., were visitors to the city recently. Miss Wilson is apparently anxious to get a type-writing position here.

At the suggestion of the *Register's* St. Louis correspondent, there will probably be formed in the city, if circumstances permit, a press club of the writers to the deaf press from St. Louis within a very short time. The project we have in view has gained the endorsement of Mr. Cloud and several others, who said we had better look to our laurels over the "little four" in the village by the lake. "Bill," who is a young fellow whose past experience on several papers, will testify to his ability to write and the excellent character of his St. Louis letters, has decided to scribble for the *Critic;* "Reporter," of the *Record*, will doubtless continue to write to his paper; and if the four writers organize for their own mutual association, and promise to keep each other informed of the current local news, and in warm fraternal feeling, it will not be an invaluable thing for us to let it pass away, and to have one is the voice of supporters of the proposition.

Those who gathered at the club-room last Saturday in anticipation of a stirring Wild West story amongthe Rockies from the hands of Mr. Cloud, were given a dismal disappointment. Mr. Cloud sent word he had no yet recovered from his illness, and talking socially and gossiping followed the postponement.

Tue other day, W. Campbell drank some well-water, which was afterwards found to be poisonous. He was taken seriously ill, and the doctor who called on him, he said, diagnosed the disease as "cnolera," widely different from the epidemic around New York. His story does not hold water at all, but it caused him to be a suspicious figure in our midst. Last night he gave the writer a hearty handshaking, and seemed to be in the best of spirits, however. The same case may be applicable to Charles Wolff when he returns home.

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FANWOOD.

The First Social Reunion of the Present Term.

THE "PROTEUS" BOAT CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.

From our Fanwood Correspondent.

The first social reunion of the present term occurred on Saturday, the 24th inst., and as it was the first time since last June that the pupils all came together, it can safely, he said that it was a very enjoyable affair.

The feature of the evening, as on similar occasions during the past few years, was the grand march. To lead the march is considered a great honor, and envied by the others. It is seldom, however, that the couple lead the march twice. Oh this occasion, the march was led by Mr. A. Mc L. Baxter and Miss Julia A. Hemphill. After the march, dancing and games followed until the deal of the clock pointed to ten minutes to nine o'clock, when it came to an end. Mr. and Mrs. Hutton, parents of Miss Nevada B. Hutton, who were on a visit to the Institution, spent part of the time at the reunion, and seemed to enjoy themselves looking on the merry gathering, and no doubt recalled many a happy time they had while at school. Mrs. Hutton's maiden name was Miss Dezendorf. She is a graduate of this Institution, while Mr. Hutton received his education in Scotland.

The members of the "Proteus" Boat Club held a meeting in their class-room last Thursday afternoon, and the result was the election of new officers. This was brought about because both the Captain and Secretary graduated last June. The new officers elected are as follows: Commodore, E. H. Currier; Captain, W. L. Bowers; Lieutenant, A. Mc L. Baxter; James. F. Britt, Second Lieutenant; Secretary, Martin Glynn; Treasurer, J. L. Hayes; Committee, H. Bettels, Chairman, F. Avens and A. B. Smith. The following named young ladies of the High Class were unanimously elected associate members: Misses J. A. Hemphill, A. L. Waidler, J. Buss, E. F. Caddy and B. Spahn. The members who graduated last June were elected honorary members. They are Messrs. F. Turner, W. W. Watson, C. E. Vernon and R. E. Maynard.

Last Saturday afternoon the second party to Fort Lee was made on the "Proteus."

There was no ball on Saturday, instead the ball "cranks" went to the Polo Grounds to witness two games for one admission between Boston and New York League Clubs, and they were rewarded for their pains, no better game of ball playing has been seen hereabouts for a long time. The New York won one of the two games.

Dr. and Mrs. Peet and their daughter Bessie made Mr. Walter B. Peet, who is at present living in Yonkers, N. Y., a short visit last Saturday.

Among the graduates who came up to the Institution to see some of their friends last Sunday, we noticed Messrs. Louis Herrmann and Robert E. Maynard. The latter says he is in no great hurry to secure a position, there being time ahead he thinks.

Messrs. H. Bettels, B. Smith, F. Avens and S. M. Cox returned last week, and Miss Mary Branfuhr on Saturday, and Robert Zundell on Monday.

We learn that Mr. Frank Turner has given up the idea of going to College, and will not return to school.

On Tuesday afternoon several of the boys had a real watermellon, feast, but the most strange thing about this is that not a black seed was found in it. Later investigation revealed the fact that Prof. E. H. Currier, in the presence of several witnesses had taken out and counted the black seeds, in order to decide which "guess" should win the prize offered by the King's Daughters of this Institution. We have not yet learned the name of the winner.

Nicholas Simeon, the Chinese deaf-mute, who about a year ago received some notoriety in the daily press for running away from home, and finally was found by a detective in the Chinese quarter of this city and brought to this Institution, has since had his hair cut, and besides he now wears American made clothes. His desire to acquire an education is great, as he is very studious. During the entire summer he remained at the Institution, and was seen almost daily studying Peet's Course of Instruction, and it is pleasant to note that he has been promoted to a higher class this year. This is an example that can be profitably followed by other boys.

It was in the Fall of 1882, that the male members of the High Class of this Institution formed a society for mental, intellectual and moral improvement, and named it the Peet Literary Society, in honor of Dr. Isaac Lewis Peet, the founder of the High Class.

Prior to this organization, good fellowship between the semi-mutes and deaf-mutes of the class was anything but pleasant. Hardly a day passed that some trick was played on one another. After the formation of the society harmony prevailed, and every one was happy. But we are wandering from the subject we started. It was after the boys had organized the aforesaid society, that the female members bloomed forth with the announcement that they too had formed a society of their own, but would by no means divulge its name, at the same time they all had pinned to their breast ribbons with "T. J. C." printed on them. It was not long before the boys decided that "T. J. C." read "The Jam Club." They denied it, but all the same, by the aid of the Fanwood correspondent they were made known by that name and became famous, too. The officers were: President, Miss Georgianna Decker; Vice-President, Miss Frankie Hawkins; Secretary, Miss Emily A. Wells; Treasurer, Miss Mamie A. Weyant, It is a very strange coincidence, that with the exception of Miss Weyant who was married last year to Mr. Geo. W. Odell, of Port Chester, N. Y., all were married this year. Miss Emily A. Wells was married on June 9th, to Mr. Alberton M. Blanchard, a crayon artist of St. Louis, Mo. Miss Hawkins, on the 29th of June, to Mr. Geo. S. Porter, foreman of the Printing Office of the New Jersey State School; and Miss Decker, on the 30th of August, to Mr. Thomas H. Coleman, a teacher of the South Carolina Institution for the Deaf.

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PHILADELPHIA.

THE NEW INSTITUTION AT MT. AIRY.

On October 18, 450 deaf mutes will take up their abode in the spacious new quarters of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb at Mount Airy. The children are delighted at the prospect of leaving the dingy old building at Broad and Pine streets behind and getting into the fresh air and green fields surrounding their new home. And well they may be, for a more beautiful spot could not have been selected, while everything that could possibly be done to make them comfortable and happy has been done.

When the school term will not commence until October 18, the formal opening of the institution, at which addresses will be made by many prominent persons, will take place on October 8. When completed, there will be accommodations for about 259 pupils, but at present only 450 have been enrolled, which is about 20 more than the old school accommodated. At present the primary, Intermediate and Advance Buildings have been completed, while the building to be used by the manual training department is well under way. In addition to these are a number of smaller buildings.

MORE FUNDS ARE NEEDED.

There erection of these buildings has about exhausted the resources of the treasury, and until an additional appropriation is secured from the State, which is confidently expected to materialize in the near future, the oral department will be obliged to occupy the primary building. When the appropriation comes, the next step will be the erection of the Oral Building, Assembly Hall and the Gymnasium.

The spacious grounds comprise 64 acres of as fine land as can be found in the vicinity of Philadelphia, 40 acres of which will be laid out in handsome lawns walks and drives, athletic grounds, etc. All the stone used in the buildings has been quarried on the premises, and even the excavation formed by the quarry has been utilized as a foundation for the Manual Training School's building. In this department will be taught working in wood, lead and iron, tailoring, shoemaking, printing, mechanical drawing, bricklaying, plastering and baking. The engine and boiler house is handsomely fitted up with seven large tubular boilers and four dynamos, supplying power for 3500 electric lights. All the buildings will be heated by the hot air system, and tunnels have been dug connecting all the buildings. Through these will run the electric cables, water, heating and sewer pipes.

PLENTY OF ROOM.

The buildings are so arranged as to make each one almost a separate institution. The pupils in the primary and intermediate and advanced classes occupy separate and distinct buildings. Each building has its own class rooms, dormitories, sitting and dining rooms. The accommodations are spacious, and the plans admit of a space of 30 square feet in the sitting rooms for each pupil.

The institution is to be congratulated upon having such an able principal as A. L. E. Crouter. There are 38 teachers and professors connected with it, which is a larger force than any other similar institution in the country boasts. The railroad facilities are also excellent. Allen Lane station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, is within a stone's throw, while Mount Airy, on the Reading, is scarcely farther away. In addition to these, the Pennsylvania's new Trenton cut off will skirt the grounds, and a station will be built at Germantown Avenue, at the foot of the grounds.—*Phila., Record.*

The Bagley Literary Society.

In order to preserve the good name of the Bagley Literary Society from getting mixed up with unhealthy individual associations, the members were obliged to use the most extreme means of extricating themselves out of the muddle by expelling Francis George Jefferson from membership in the said society, and warn the public against his use of its name in any way for these reasons: *first*, that he ignored the call of the said society to be present; *second*, that, at the next meeting, he was not present, having gone to Chicago without giving a notice of the same; *third*, that he sent no official notice of his resignation as is necessary, per the amendment to the constitution put in by himself; *fourth*, that he assails the good characters of some of the members of the said society, contrary to the constitution and by-laws, as embodied in the Preamble and Pledge; *fifth*, that he is using the society's good name and graces to shield his doings and otherwise without consent, thereby giving the public a low esteem of the said society; *sixth*, that his general conduct is not in keeping with what he claimed himself to be.

[SIGNED]
F. C. GOTTWERTH,
Pres't B. L. C.
A. R. SUTHERLAND,
General Sec'y.

Mr. J. Winifield McCullough, of Landenberg, Pa., attended the deaf-mute convention at Hartford, Conn., three weeks ago.

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FANWOOD QUAD CLUB.

[OFFICIAL NOTICE.]

THE next regular business meeting, of the FANWOOD QUAD CLUB, will be held at Saul's Hotel parlor, Saturday evening, October 1st, 1892, at 8:30 o'clock.

Members of the Executive Committee will please assemble at 8 P.M.

By order of the President.

A. CAPELLI, *Sec'y.*

—*Adv.*

DIRECTORY.

For the convenience of the public, we publish in this column, IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER *a list of Societies, Clubs and Associations of Deaf-Mutes.*

ALL SOULS' WORKING PEOPLE'S CLUB & CLERC LITERARY ASSOCIATION.

This club, organized on September 22d, 1865, and reorganized November 28th, 1888, is entirely non-sectarian, and any deaf person over eighteen years of age may join it by agreeing to pay a small sum of money monthly for its support. The purpose of the club is to supplement the instruction received while at school, by a course of lectures and other literary exercises, and the provision of reading matter of a suitable character. In addition, harmless and rational amusements are provided. The club has the use of the guild rooms in All Souls' Church for the Deaf, Franklin Street, above Green. The officers of the club are: Rev. J. M. Koehler, *Ex-officio* Chairman; (Vacant) Vice-Chairman; Thomas Breen, President; Wm. McKinney, First Vice-President; Herbert Scott, Second Vice-President; J. S. Reider, Secretary and Treasurer, whose address is No. 1812 Marston Street; Mrs. J. S. Reider, Assistant Secretary; Wm. McKinney, Assistant Treasurer; and Wm. A. Miles, Sergeant-at-Arms. The club rooms are open on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings.

APOLLO WORKINGMEN'S CLUB.

The object of the Apollo Workingmen's Club is to advance its members in social, intellectual and physical welfare. The club occupies a whole five-roomed house at 1302 Washington Avenue, Philadelphia, and its members are at full liberty to use the house at all hours. Business meetings are held on the first Saturday evening of every month. The officers for 1891—'92 are: President, Wm. Henry Lipsett; Vice-President, E. D. Wilson; Secretary, Jas. E. Morony; Assistant Secretary, Wm. F. Durisn; and Treasurer, Spencer M. Hannold. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary at 1302 Washington Avenue, Phila.

BALTIMORE DEAF-MUTE SOCIETY.

The Society holds its meetings every alternate Wednesday in the basement of the Primitive Baptist Church, on Madison St., one door east of Calvert St. Its object is for improving the mental faculties of the deaf, and of cultivating a taste for literature, oratory and debate, and of exerting a good moral influence by social intercourse. Lectures will be announced from time to time by the President. The officers are J. A. Brantlick, President; W. McElroy, Vice-President; Miss Maggie Schuman, Secretary; R. E. Underwood, Treasurer; and Jas. H. Mooney, Sergeant-at-Arms. Secretary's address is No. 805 S. Paca St.

CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION.

This association is a branch of the Y. M. C. A., of San Francisco. President, Theodore Grady; Vice-President, Koosuth Selig; Secretary, Wm. H. Winslow; Treasurer, Henry J. McCoy; Librarian, Frank B. Shattuck. Divine services first and third Sundays in each month, alternate at 11 A.M. Regular business meetings, first Thursday in each month. Address all communications to the Secretary, Wm. H. Winslow, 232 Sutter St., San Francisco, Cal.

CINCINNATI SOCIETY.

The Anderson Society dates its organization from 1879, and has for its objects the *mutual improvement* and *social enjoyment* of its members and their friends in general. It holds meetings in Anderson Hall, No. 192 West Fifth Street, every Saturday at eight o'clock P.M., excepting the business meeting specified on the fourth Saturday of each month. Ardine Rembeck is President, Wiltshire Oxley, Recording Secretary, and Mrs. Alfred A. Bierlein, Corresponding Secretary. All communications should be addressed to the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Alfred A. Bierlein, 38 Celestial Street, Cincinnati, O.

DEAF-MUTES' UNION LEAGUE OF NEW YORK CITY.

This organization is one formed for the purpose of bringing into closer intercourse, the former students of the Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf-Mutes of the City of New York, and to disseminate such views as will tend to their welfare. It meets twice a month, and the President is Mr. Emanuel Souweine. Communications are to be addressed to the Secretary, Samuel Frankenheim, 45 Fulton Street, New York City.

FANWOOD QUAD CLUB.

The Fanwood Quad Club is an organization composed mainly of deaf journeymen printers and writers for the deaf press, in New York and vicinity, but it is not confined to these alone, and admits any deaf person, who has attained the age of discretion, and is of good character and intelligence. Its object is "to cultivate fraternal feelings, to promote the social relations, and to uphold and assist what is deemed helpful or beneficial to its members, as individuals, and to the deaf at large as a class." The officers for the ensuing year are: John F. O'Brien, President; Wm. Coombs, Vice-President; Antony Capelli, Secretary; Thos. F. Fox, Treasurer. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary, Station M, New York City.

GALLAUDET SOCIETY, OF BOSTON.

The Gallaudet Society for Deaf-Mutes (formerly the "Cambridge Society") holds services in the basement of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Cortes St., Boston, every Sunday, at 10:45 A.M. Rev. Dr. Gallaudet's clergymen appear on the first and third Sundays of each month. All are welcome. Literary exercises once a month. Lectures, social gatherings, etc., occasionally. The officers for 1890 are: E. W. Frisbee, President; A. W. Orcutt, Vice-President; Albert S. Tufts, Secretary; Frank B. Roberts, Treasurer, and Geo. A. Wise, Librarian. Communications are to be addressed to the Secretary, Cortez Street, Boston, care of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

GERMAN CHARITY SOCIETY.

Meets at Germania Hall, 46 Avenue A, between 3d & 4th Street, New York City President, S. Werner; Vice-President, H. Eschert; Recording Secretary, S. Nibler; Financial Secretary, E. Kollenbaum; Treasurer, Charles Haar. The Secretary's address is: 235 East 4th St., New York City.

GRANITE STATE MISSION.

The Granite State Deaf-Mute Mission meets every year in different parts of New Hampshire, and elects its officers every other year. The object of the mission is to promote the moral welfare of the mute community in the State. The officers are as follows:—Willie E. White, President, 128 Bowers St., Nashua; Mrs. Minnia Fish, Secretary, Nashua; Willie A. Deering, Treasurer, Pittsfield.

PAS-A-PAS CLUB.

The Pas-a-Pas Club, incorporated in 1891, under the statutes of Illinois, for the social and literary culture of its members, transacts business on the first Saturday evening of each month.

The Pas-a-Pas Hall, on the south-east corner of Clark and Randolph Streets, opposite Court House, is at the disposal of visitors to the city day and evening, and when not open access to the hall can be obtained through any member. Officers for ensuing year are: Geo. T. Dougherty, President; C. C. Codman, First Vice-President; J. J. Kleinhans, Second Vice-President; O. H. Regensburg, Corresponding Secretary; F. P. Gibson, Recording Secretary; M. Sonneborn, Treasurer; B. Frank, Librarian; J. Bergler, Sergeant-at-Arms; G. Morton and G. Fraser, Trustees. Direct all communications to O. H. Regensburg, Corresponding Secretary, 3424 Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

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General Missionary—Rev. A. W. Mann, 123 Arlington Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

St. Thomas Mission for the Deaf, Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis. Rev. J. H. Cloud, Minister, in charge.

All Angels' Church for the Deaf, Chicago. Rev. A. W. Mann in charge.

Ephphatha Mission, St. John's Church, Detroit, Mich.

St. Agnes Mission, Grace Church, Cleveland, Ohio.

St. Margaret's Mission, Trinity Church, Pittsburgh, Pa. B. R. Allabough and Frank A. Leitner, Lay Readers.

All Saints' Mission, Columbus, O.

St. Mark's Mission, St. Paul's Church, Cincinnat, Ohio.

St. Clement's Mission, Christ Church, Dayton, O.

St. Alban's Mission, Christ Church, Indianapolis, Ind.

St. Bede's Mission, St. Mark's Church, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Services are held at about forty places more. Those desiring the offices of the Church in Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Communion, Ministry of the Word, Marriage, Burial, etc., are requested to address the Rev. Mr. Mann at the above-named address.

MUTUAL & CHARITABLE RELIEF SOCIETY OF BOSTON.

The purpose of the Society is principally social improvement, and to help the needy of our class. Meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month, at the Young Men Christian Association, cor. Bolyston and Berkeley Sts. The officers are as follows: President, Mrs. F. W. Bigelow; Vice-President, Miss P. M. Acheson; Treasurer, Mrs. I. A. Blanchard; Secretary, Mrs. Adam Acheson; Relief Committee: Mrs. Rhoda Barnard, Mrs. Thomas Wheeler. All communications to be addressed to Mrs. Adam Acheson, 2 Spruce St., Roslindale, Mass.

ST. LOUIS DEAF-MUTE CLUB.

The organization of the St. Louis Deaf-Mute Club occurred in the month of April, 1882, and its purposes are principally of a social nature, being non-sectarian and independent in every respect, to cultivate the social and mental improvement of its members by timely lectures, and also by the aid of general literature, to guarantee to them all the pleasures that were deprived by the loss of their hearing, and to stimulate general harmony among themselves. It holds its regular meeting, for the transaction of business only, in Room No. 12, on the 3d floor of the Empire Building, 919 Olive St. Strangers in the city are cordially invited to avail themselves of its opportunities. The officers elected for the season of 1891-92 are as follows: President, Geo. D. Hunter; Vice-President, John J. Smith; Secretary, William Schaub; Treasurer, Edward Dolan; Sergeant-at-Arms, William Theurer; Trustees, Marcus H. Kerr, and James J. Brown. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary at 2214 N. 10th Street.

THE BROOKLYN SOCIETY OF DEAF-MUTES.

The Brooklyn Society of Deaf-Mutes meets every Saturday night, in Adelphi Hall, Adelphi Street, corner Myrtle Avenue, at 7:30 o'clock. Its object is to benefit socially and intellectually.

The officers of the Society are Thomas Godfrey, President; A. McLaren, 1st Vice-President; J. B. Valles, 2d Vice-President; James S. Orr, Secretary; and H. A. Schnakenburg, Treasurer; F. Ecka, Sergeant-at-arms. All communications should be addressed to the Secretary, James S. Orr, 140 Wierfield Street.

THE ALBANY SOCIETY OF DEAF-MUTES.

The Society holds its meeting at the Sunday School rooms of St. Paul's Church on Jay Street, every Thursday evening at half seven, from the first Thursday in October to the second week in April, and the closing is from the second week in April to the first week in October. The Society extends its courtesies to strangers. Its object is to promote the moral and intellectual welfare and sociability of the deaf, by having debates, lectures and story telling. The officers for 1891-'92 are: President, Charles F. Mull; Vice-President, Thure E. Carlman; Secretary, May D. Henry; Treasurer, Arabella De Willegar; Sergeant-at-arms, Mr. Toole. The Secretary's address is No. 8 Daniel Street, Albany, N. Y.

THE LOS ANGELES ASSOCIATION.

Services every Sunday, at 3 P.M. at the Guild Room of the St. Paul's Church, Olive Street, Los Angeles. Objects: 1. The holding of religious services in the sign-language. 2. The social and intellectual improvement of deaf-mutes. 3. Assisting them to obtain employment at their trades. 4. Visiting and aiding them in sickness, 5. Giving information and advice where needed. Officers: President, Norman V. Lewis; Vice-President, Alex. Houghton; Secretary-Treasurer and Missionary, Thos. Widd.

N. B.—The post-office address of Mr. Thomas Widd is Station R, Los Angeles, Cal., to whom all communications should be addressed.

THE MANHATTAN LITERARY ASSOCIATION, OF NEW YORK CITY.

The Manhattan Literary Association meets every Thursday evening at 8 P.M., in the basement of St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, West 18th St., near 5th Avenue. Its regular business meetings are held every first Thursday of each month, debates every second, and lectures every third. Its object is to improve the moral, intellectual, and social welfare of its members. Its officers are: Theodore A. Froehlich, President; Franklin Campbell, First Vice-President; Tilson W. Haight, Second Vice-President; Max Miller, Secretary; Alex. Meisel, Treasurer; S. M. Brown, Sergeant-at-arms. All correspondence should be addressed to the Secretary, 352 E. 82d Street, N. Y. City.

THE NEW ENGLAND GALLAUDET ASSOCIATION OF DEAF-MUTES.

The New England Gallaudet Association of Deaf-Mutes, named in honor of Thomas H. Gallaudet, is now officered by Edwin W. Frisbee, of Everett, Mass., President; Frank W. Bigelow, of Chelsea, Mass., Vice-President; George C. Sawyer, of Everett, Mass., Secretary; Levi A. Lester, of Providence, R. I., Treasurer. State Directors: For Maine, Fred. Flynn, of Bangor, Me.; for New Hampshire and Vermont, Willie A. Deering, of Pittsfield, N. H.; for Massachusetts, George A. Holmes, of Boston, Mass.; for Connecticut, Herman Erbe, of Waterbury, Ct.; for Rhode Island, John F. Donnelly, of Woonsocket, R. I. For any information, write to the Secretary, 55 Otis St., East Somerville, Mass., with stamp enclosed for reply.

THE TROY LITERARY SOCIETY.

The society holds its meetings every Saturday evening at 7:30 P.M., in the Guild room of St. Paul's Church, cor. 3d and State Streets. Its regular meeting for ladies and gentlemen are held, second and fourth Saturdays of each month. The object is the moral improvement of its members by lectures, debates and story telling. The officers of the society are President, Harrison Burt; Vice-President, J. S Kenney; Secretary, John Leo. Connerton; Treasurer, J. C. Ritter, and Sergeant-at-Arms, Hiram Brown. All the deaf-mutes and strangers in town and its vicinity are invited to drop in at the Bible Class and regular meetings. The Secretary's address is Bascom Pattern Works, Troy, N. Y.

THE BROOKLYN GUILD.

The Guild of Christian Workers of St. David's Church is in No. 218 Wyckoff St. The meetings are held in the room of the St. David's Church—first Thursday of each month. The present officers are as follows: Rev. Anson T. Colt, Chaplain; W. G. Gilbert, President; Robert Rusk, Secretary: and A. J. McLaren, Treasurer. The Secretary's address is No. 154 Hope St, Brooklyn, E. D. Communications to be sent to the Secretary.

THE NEW JERSEY LITERARY ASSOCIATION.

Meets every two weeks, Thursday evening at 8 sharp, in the Rector Street Chapel, in Rector Street near Park Street, Newark, N. J. The officers of the Association are: President, L. Brede; Vice-President, Wm. Caldicott; Secretary, J. D. Ward; Treasurer, Ella Bourfield; Sergeant-at-Arms, John P. Cotter.

THE KANSAS CITY DEAF-MUTE LITERARY & DEBATING SOCIETY.

The Kansas City Deaf-Mute Literary and Debating Society hold their meetings every Sunday afternoon at 3 P.M., at The Christian Church, corner of Eleventh and Locust Streets. The object of the society is to promote the moral welfare of the mute community. The officers are C. S. Minor, President; E. B. Sprague, Vice-President; John R. Laughlin, Secretary; Frank Laughlin, Treasurer. All strangers of good behavior are invited to attend. Address all communications to Frank Laughlin, 636 Euclid Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

THE SALEM SOCIETY.

The Salem Society of Deaf-Mutes is an unsectarian society, organized in Sept. 23, 1874, and occupies one room, No. 243 1-2 Essex Street. Divine services, every Sunday, and prayer meeting, on every last Friday of the month. The members are at liberty to use it at any time (day or evening) in the week for reading, etc. The officers of the Society for 1891 are Samuel Cross, President; Mrs. P. S. Bowden, Secretary; Mrs. N. C. Cross, Treasurer; Mr. Wm. Bailey and Mr. E. W. Frisbee, Directors.

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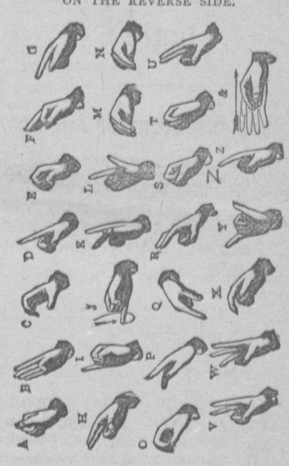
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